(*i*) whether the said Chatha Sankaran wanted the Commissioner himself to conduct the enquiry; and

(*j*) if so, the reply given to him?

MR. M. P. JOSEPH: (*a*) Yes.

(*b*) On 15-8-1113.

(*c*) The Assistant Excise Commissioner, Piravom.

(*d*) 7.

(*e*) 18-10-1113.

(*f*) Yes.

(*g*) The Excise Commissioner.

(*h*) Yes. A *copy of the decision dated 23-3-39/10-8-1114 is laid on table.

(*i*) No.

(*j*) This does not arise in view of the answer to part (*i*) above.

Anchal men in the Thrikariyoor Anchal Office.

351 *MR. KOTTALIL P. ABRAHAM (*Muvattupuzha* cum *Devicolam*): Will the Government be pleased to state:

(*a*) the number of Anchal men posted to the Thrikariyoor Anchal Office;

(*b*) the number of Karas, that Anchal Office has to serve and the distance to each Kara from that office; and

(*c*) within what time after the arrival in the Anchal Office of the letters, daily newspapers, money orders etc., they are expected to be delivered to the addressees.

MR. V. R. SANKARANARAYANA PILLAI: (*a*) One.

(*b*) 14 Karas. A †statement showing the names of Karas served, and the distance of each from Thrikariyoor Anchal Office is appended herewith;

(*c*) Anchal articles addressed to Thrikariyoor, Tangalam and Aryakadu Karas are being delivered daily, but articles addressed to all the other Karas are delivered twice a week. Kottapadi is served on alternate days.

MR. KOTTALIL P. ABRAHAM: With reference to answer to part (*c*) may I know from the Government whether they will be pleased to provide better Anchal facilities in the places mentioned?

MR. V. R. SANKARANARAYANA PILLAI: The question of providing better facilities will be considered.

Pulimukkom Excise Station.

352 *MR. K. R. NARAYANAN: Will the Government be pleased to state whether any complaint has been received in 1114 against the staff of the Pulimukkom Excise Station in the Vadayar Range; and if so, the action taken thereon?

MR. M. P. JOSEPH: Yes. One complaint was received and it was withdrawn.

Vide Appendix VI page 961.

†*Vide* Appendix VII page 961.

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